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Amendment Transmittal

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application, responsive to an Office Action dated <u>August 7, 2007</u>.

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Respectfully submitted,

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